

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Application of:**

Forsythe et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/719,929

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**For:** FIELD AND STORAGE CHEMICAL  
TEST METHOD

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**Examiner:** P. Hyun

**Group Art Unit:** 1797

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action mailed March 27, 2009, the three-month shortened statutory period for response which expired on June 27, 2009. This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Petition for Extension of Time.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.